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Over \$3 Million Available for Projects that Improve Air Quality in Placer County
Placer County Air District Now Accepting Grant Applications

Auburn, CA: The Placer County Air Pollution Control District (PCAPCD) is accepting applications for projects that reduce localized air pollution. This year's Clean Air Grant program boasts roughly \$3.2 million in grant funds for projects like repowering or replacing vehicles and equipment with the cleanest engines available and installing infrastructure projects that support California's transformation towards zero and near-zero emission technologies. The PCAPCD will begin accepting applications April 1, 2023 and will continue until **5 PM on May 31, 2023**. Businesses, public agencies, and nonprofit organizations are eligible to apply.

With funding from the California Air Resources Board's [Carl Moyer](#) and [Community Air Protection Incentive](#) Programs, and other state and local funds, Clean Air Grants are able to reduce emissions of smog-forming pollutants in excess of those required by regulation. This reduces localized air pollution and improves air quality. A portion of the funds are reserved for projects located within or benefitting low-income communities. Eligible grant project categories include:

- Public school bus replacements (diesel to diesel, CNG, or electric)
- Heavy-duty off-road equipment replacements (agricultural and small off-road fleets only)
- EV charging and CNG or hydrogen fueling stations (residential not eligible)
- Heavy-duty vehicle replacements, such as transit buses and garbage trucks (diesel to diesel, CNG, or electric)
- Agricultural pump replacements (diesel to electric)

All vehicles and equipment must be in compliance with current regulations in order to apply.

Project applications will be reviewed on a competitive basis and must meet funding eligibility criteria. Applications may be submitted online, by email to incentives@placer.ca.gov, or by mail/hand-delivered to the PCAPCD office at 110 Maple Street, Auburn, CA 95603. Applications received after the deadline will not be accepted.

To learn more or download a grant application, visit the PCAPCD's website at <https://placerair.org/1739/Clean-Air-Grant-Program>.

About the Placer County Air Pollution Control District:

The PCAPCD (placerair.org) is a regulatory agency focused on reducing air pollution and maintaining healthy air quality in Placer County. Incentive grants are just one of the tools used by the PCAPCD and are available annually for a wide variety of projects, including school bus, heavy-duty vehicle and equipment replacements, and electric charging infrastructure.

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